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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Precedence: ROUTINE

Date: 04/17/2012

To: Columbia

ATTN: Charleston RA

SA [redacted]
[redacted]

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From: Columbia

Squad 7/Greenville RA

Contact: SA [redacted]

Approved By: [redacted]

Drafted By: [redacted]

Case ID #: 89A-CO-NEW (Pending)

Title: [redacted]

CONGRESSMAN TREY GOWDY - VICTIM
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
VC-VIC;

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Synopsis: EC to request the opening of a full investigation, and to set lead for Columbia Division, Charleston RA.

Details: On April 14, 2012, [redacted]

[redacted] for United States Congressman Trey Gowdy, House of Representatives, 104 South Main Street, Greenville, South Carolina, 29601, telephone number [redacted] provided SA [redacted]

[redacted] with a threatening letter received by their office located at 101 West Saint John Street, Spartanburg, South Carolina. The letter was contained inside an envelope that was post marked 04/04/2012. The letter was addressed to "Trey Gowdy, Solicitor, 7 Circuit, Spartanburg, SC, 29306, Spartanburg County Courthouse". The letter was addressed from [redacted]

[redacted] advised that when Gowdy was employed as the Solicitor for the Seventh Judicial Circuit covering Cherokee and Spartanburg Counties, South Carolina, he had no contact with [redacted]

The handwritten letter was addressed to "Trey", and read as follows" Im writing you in concern with the days you have remaining on this earth. Your days are numbered and i will be the one to deside when you take your last breath. I will be your God! Now I say how long you live. But if you repent to me for

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Received SQ 7

Initial: *fy*

Date: *4-18-2012*

O/A to SA [redacted]

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sending people to prison and quit being a Solicitor Then i may let you live longer But im sorry im still going to kill you! But if you repent to me i may! Grant you a open casket for those sick enough to cry over such a disgrace like you. For your evil ways. I will cage your soul in a cell for 75 years so you can live in misery like me and other inmates have. i will allow to sit and contiplate on how you shall die! ? Will i come to your office with a gun an blow your brains out? Will I be lurking in the dark when you attempt to go to your car and just appear and bash your fucking brains in? Or even better will i be sitting in your closet when you get home hop out and stab yo ass an watch the life leave your flesh. Which way would you prefer? Cause i am the Almighty. !Every day should be one you enjoy! The Clocks Ticking.Tich..Tich". The letter was signed [REDACTED]

A check of South Carolina Department of Corrections revealed that [REDACTED] inmate number [REDACTED] was incarcerated at [REDACTED]

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A check of NCIC revealed that [REDACTED]

On 04/17/2012, SA [REDACTED] made contact with SA [REDACTED] [REDACTED] Columbia Division, Charleston RA. SA [REDACTED] advised that he would make contact with investigators at [REDACTED] regarding [REDACTED] as well as conduct an interview of [REDACTED]

The following information pertains to [REDACTED]

NAME: [REDACTED]
RACE: White
SEX: Male
DOB: [REDACTED]
SSAN: [REDACTED]
FBI: [REDACTED]
HEIGHT: [REDACTED]
WEIGHT: [REDACTED]
EYES: [REDACTED]
HAIR: [REDACTED]
TATTOO: [REDACTED]

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LEAD(s) :

Set Lead 1: (Action)

COLUMBIA

AT CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

Make contact with [REDACTED]
and obtain records pertaining to [REDACTED] inmate number
[REDACTED] to include, disciplinary actions, next of kin contact
information, visitation and telephone contact lists, and any
other information deemed appropriate. Conduct interview of
[REDACTED] and cell mate(s) if deemed appropriate.

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